



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Ranatunge et al**

Application No: 10/608,333

Group Art Unit: 1626

Filed: **June 30, 2003**

Examiner: **T.A. Solola**

For: **Oxime and/or Hydrazone containing Nitrosated and/or Nitrosylated
Cyclooxygenase-2 Inhibitors, Compositions and Methods of Uses**

Attorney Docket No: **102258.153 US2**

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Amendment Accompanying Request for Continued Examination

This response is submitted in reply to the Advisory Action dated August 16, 2006. A Notice of Appeal was filed on July 17, 2006, concurrently with the Response to the Office Action dated March 15, 2006 finally rejecting claims 59-116.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee difference of \$285, between a three-month extension of time and a one month extension of time fee previously paid for, to Deposit Account No. 08-0219, which extends the period for response following the Notice of Appeal from July 15, 2006 to September 15, 2006; and to charge any other necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 08-0219 to maintain the pendency of the present application.

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